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REMARKS

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SOURCE

1. No major Soviet RR shipments passed through HEGYESHALOM (P 48/Y 06) until mid-March 1949.
2. One troop train (each 40 RR cars) passed through HEGYESHALOM, heading towards Austria on about 20 and 22 April 1949. Three or four trains comprising eight to ten RR cars occupied by troops and carrying motor vehicles passed through HEGYESHALOM heading in the same direction on an unidentified date.
3. Four east-bound trains (40 RR cars each), passed through HEGYESHALOM between 20 April and 4 May 1949. Three or four small east-bound shipments carrying troops and motor vehicles also passed through HEGYESHALOM at the same time.
4. Three trains of twelve RR cars each, coming from Austria heading towards HAYMASKER (P 40/D 79) on about 10 May 1949.

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e. According to observations made at the HEGYESHALOM border RH station between mid-April to mid-May 1949, the Soviet units stationed in this area received recruits during that time. Smaller contingents of discharged soldiers were shipped to the SU, at the same time.

b. It is possible that, early in May 1949, Soviet units from Austria (GHQ units of the Central Group of Forces?) have been transferred to the HAY ASKER troop training grounds (para 4).

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